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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.312

This Amendment is filed in response to the Notice of Allowance and Examiner's Amendment mailed Oct. 13, 2005. The Amendment is filed to correct the omission of the word "gland" in the Examiner's Amendment to claim 46. The undersigned thanks the Examiner for discussing this matter on the phone and for suggesting the filing of the instant amendment as the appropriate means to make the correction.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on p. 2 of this paper. As indicated there, please amend claim 46. No new matter is added by the amendment.

Remarks begin on p. 7 of this paper.

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